

Zoning Board of Appeals Agenda Tuesday, November 17, 2020 5:30 P.M. - City Council Chambers, 2nd floor, City Hall via video conference on Cisco Webex **425 East State Street** Rockford, IL 61104 779-348-7163

Since the board will not be physically present but want to hear all comments on each item, the following procedure will be in place:

Interested Parties for ZBA:

- Written public comments can be submitted through 5:00 pm, November 17, 2020.
 - Please submit written comments via email to <u>Lafakeria.Vaughn@rockfordil.gov</u>.
 - Comments can also be hand delivered to the Permit Center located on the first floor at City Hall, 425 East State Street. Envelopes must be addressed to Scott Capovilla, Planning & Zoning Manager, Dept. of Community & Economic Development.
- Come and listen to the meeting in City Council Chambers, 425 East State Street, and during the public comment section, present your comments and questions regarding the agenda item in Council Chambers.

ZBA 022-20 2112 North Central Avenue

Applicant

Luis Pena

Ward 7

A Special Use Permit for vehicle sales and a motor vehicle repair shop to include body work, painting, commercial vehicle repairs and outdoor storage for 21 vehicles waiting for servicing or repair in a C-3, General Commercial Zoning District

ZBA 025-20

6727 East Riverside Boulevard

Applicant Ward 4

Springfield Sign for DJ Properties, LLC

Variation to increase the number of permitted business identification wall signs from two (2) signs to three (3) signs and a **Variation** to increase the height of the menu board from six (6) feet to six (6) feet three (3) inches in height and a **Variation** to increase the permitted square footage of the menu board from 36 square feet to 38.40

square feet in a C-3, General Commercial Zoning District

Vote on 2021 Zoning Board of Appeals Calendar

ZBA MEETING FORMAT & PROCESS

The format of the Zoning Board of Appeals (ZBA) meeting will follow the Boards Rules of Procedure generally outlined as:

The Chairman will call the address of the application.

- The Applicant or representative will come forward and be sworn in.
- The Applicant or representative will present their request before the Board
- The Board will ask any questions they may have regarding this application.
- The Chairman will then ask if there are any Objectors or Interested Parties present at City Hall or any emails to be read into the record. Objectors or Interested Parties are to come forward at that time, be sworn in by the Chairman, and state and spell their name for the record. Legal staff will read any written comments into the record that were received in advance.
- The Objector or Interested Party will present all their concerns, objections and questions to the Applicant regarding the application.
- The Board will ask any questions they may have of the Objector or Interested Party.
- The Applicant will have an opportunity to rebut the concerns/questions of the Objector or Interested Party
- Interested party or Objector at City hall will have another opportunity to provide any additional follow up based on the Applicant's responses.
- The Board will then discuss the application and a roll call vote will be taken.

The ZBA meeting is not a final vote on any item. However, it is the only time in which the public may participate. After the ZBA meeting, the item moves on to the Codes & Regulations Committee. Although the public is invited to attend the meeting, public input is not allowed at the committee meeting. The date of the Codes & Regulations meeting will be Monday, November 23, 2020 at 5:30 PM in City Council Chambers (2nd floor of City Hall) as the second vote on these items. The third and final meeting in this process is the City Council. That vote is tentatively scheduled on Monday, December 7, 2020. If for any reason the item is laid over at the committee level or on the city council floor, the item is automatically laid over for two (2) weeks. The dates are then subject to change. Please note that City Council meeting are the 1st and 3rd Mondays of the month and Committee meetings are held on the 2nd and 4th Mondays of the month. If you are unsure of when the next meeting will take place, please contact the zoning office at 779-348-7163.